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DEMOCRATIC-CONSERVATIVE

FOR GOVERNOR: ROBERT LOWRY. OF RANKIN.

FOR LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR: G. D. SHANDS, OF TATE. FOR SECRETARY OF STATE:

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FOR STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBL EDUCATION: JAMES A. SMITH. OF JASPER.

STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

FIRST DISTRICT-Jno. A. Blair, of Lee; Wil

meet at the office of Circuit Clerk on were to the manner born; and had or a fear of conviction. the last Monday of October, and revise given aid and comfort to them in their We must go behind the professions of the lists. The books, thus revised and a fortunate conjunction of circumstances tive for their course in the canvass. ister any person. After the Commis- we were free once more. The reins of law, it does not follow that the party it- the financial issues, their proper place sioners discharge their duty, the regis- government were entrusted to friendly self, as a political organization, should is in the Democratic ranks.

istration of the public school system.

George's appointments and is ready for The birds of prey, frightened by the on high ground upon the question of a victories. The Fusionists are counting ready, and his plane smoothed over some of new work.

Grand Rally at Dry Grove.

the Dry Grove community are pre- reigned throughout the State, and not whole country as a party watchword in that are to be decided by the grand J. L. Power. I know that Col. Power is world this world the state and not whole country as a party watchword in that are to be decided by the grand J. L. Power. I know that Col. Power is paring for a grand rally, with barbecue a single race conflict has broken the the last Presidential election. and all the "fixins" of a grand demon- harmony so happily existing between The men who now are making the solve. It is universal. The vote must glad to see him undertake it. stration on the 29th. They never do the white and colored people since the loudest complaints against the Democ- be free and the count fair. The appeal things by piece-meal. It is understood migration of the pestiferous class which racy, have thrown themselves into the is to reason; not to force. The Demthat the presence of our eloquent and fomented all the troubles that ever embraces of the party leaders who in ocrats and Conservatives can safely gallant standard-bearer, Gen. Lowry, existed of this character. It is unde- 1875 issued a proclamation to the Re- trust their glorious cause to its intrinsic

Elsewhere we have published a point- with its real people. Where is the man ed letter from Hon. J. B. Perkins, willing to return to the condition of elicited by a report that the Governor things existing prior to 1876? Who so has ordered an election for another ignorant as not to know or so disin- Remember that in addition to reduct to stay until the time for which he was the Executive Committee met to de-Senator from the District which he so genuous as not to admit the great gain ing taxes (if there be further opportu- elected expires. See his letter else- termine what should be done. There ably and faithfully represents in the from the administration of the Demo- nities for economizing expenses,) regu- where. State Senate. As the term of Mr. cratic-Conservative party? Every in- lating railroad freights and fares, en-Perkins' is not half expired, and as he terest of society has felt its helping couraging immigration, seperating the has had no thought of resigning the influence, and every citizen has had a judiciary from the executive depart- of the progress of the Democratic millione County. office has not communicated such an fresh impulse in the race of life. ment, amending the Code in such parts cause in this State. It is a question of Understanding that there is great oppooffice—has not communicated such an intention to any one, nor entertained it who would throw away what intention to any one, nor entertained it who would throw away what intention to any one, nor entertained it who would throw away what as experience may have shown to be to hear in other days—that of Sterling Cato, started by local capital exclusively. The Democrats, Conservatives, lovers of ticket will oppose it, I, therefore, beg who now sings the songsof the redeemed in building is the content to the started by local capital exclusively. The Dicks, and many other kind friends, —he is naturally surprised by the order

we have gained or recklessly put necessary—the duty will devolve upon building is three stories high, 228 by 50 feet, indebted for two very delightful days in for the election of his successor. He to hazard the supremacy of that party the Legislature to reconstruct the Con- good government, are you ready for the leave to tender my resignation. will retain his seat in the body to which which wrought deliverance and effected gressional Districts and to make a new question? he was elected by the people of his this gain for the State? Surely none of apportionment for the Legislature. The District until the expiration of his term, that grand army of patriots, who had a State will be entitled to an additional as he intends to retain, and has never part in effecting that deliverance from member of Congress. This will make thought of giving up, his citizenship in misrule, would knowingly raise parrici- new Districts necessary. Besides, a re-Mississippi. Of course, with this dal hand to remove the sceptre from the moddling of the Districts is absolutely knowledge of his intentions the of political organization which he helped essential. The present Districts are an election of his successor will be post- to place in power! "Bettter bear the ills woefully gerrymandered, and out of quarters. It must be remembered that poned for at least two years; and the we have than fly to those we know not shape. people of his District, we may be per- of." Better let well enough alone. It mitted to add, may be congratula- is better not to sow the wind lest we ted upon having secured the services reap the whirlwind. of one of the ablest and most diligent members of the body of which he is an eratic Conservative party contains more influential and conspicuous member. than nine-tenths of the white voters of

Tucker Relief Fund.

14th of September, he was cruelly assassin-made to poison the minds of the colored again? titute condition. The mention of this fact voters against the Democratic party by cannot fail to arouse a lively sympathy misrepresentation and perversion. It THE Fusionists have nominated

pecially grateful.

were in possession of the offices which onsly contemplate probabilities and pos- De Kalb. Our friends in hose locali- Stone, has issued his writ, or proclamation enabled them to control the affairs of sibilities in the contingency of the ties we know will give a god account of for the election of a State Senator to fill a Mississippi. They appeared to be so triumph of the opposition party now con- themselves on the 8th of Nivember. Thursday. October 27, 1881 intrenched in power as to defy all efforts testing for power. It embraces some to dislodge them. The State had been good men, but look at its composifor years under Republican rule, and tion as a whole. Consider the methods success. Remember that. STATE TICKET. ignorance, venality and corruption held it employs, and reconcile if you can, Every vote cast for the Lowry have been so strong and convincing that high carnival, while intelligence and with the future welfare of the counticket is a vote for a good government. virtue were permitted to exert but little try, the persistent effort to array class influence in the misgoverned and pros- against class and race against race, trate State. Twice a year, for success and all for what? Is there any higher Gen. Lowry have fallen short of the any notice whatever, although my postoffice sive years, the Legislature met to little motive than the desire for place and mark purpose except to put money in the power? Patriots of Mississippi! view the pockets of its members or officers or to precipice, on the brink of which you effect some scheme of the leaders with stand, and contemplate the growing reference to warrants or something else abyss of woe into which you may be by which they were to gain at the plunged! To escape it, is worthy of the This is a still day, but it is the still- in Tunica and I expect to vote there at the interest, and he had doubtless a large audiexpense of the tax-payers. Property highest efforts you can put forth. No ness than precedes the storm of Tueswas greatly depreciated, taxes were less than the peace and prosperity of day, November 8th. onerous, salaries were high and a waste- the State, and happinesss of society is ful system of public expenditure involved. An effort on the part of those threatened still higher taxation and ul- interested in good government and city on Tuesday after a successful cantimate despoilment and ruin of the capable of appreciating it, is all that is vass in East Mississippi. He is now rarily located my family there for the property holders of the State. Many required to secure its continuance. If putting in his work in Holmes. left the State as the readiest mode of that effort is not made, they will bitterescape from the evils which were well ly repent the indifference which may live, sparkling paper, edited, until the with my business associates, I was engaged nigh intolerable, and we lost heavily in cost so much. population from this cause. Others contemplated removal from the State, The False Cry of Bulldozing and but delayed in the hope of relief which would make residence endurable. It is needless to state the causes which enabled the Republicans to obtain con-cratic-Conservative party in this State, trol of the State. They had it, and the people suffered in consequence as they FOR STATE AT LARGE.—Frank Johnston, of had never suffered before. Every resort sham. After the last election, the most orator, is making a powerful canvass

Ballot Cheating.

It is evident that the declaration of the Fusion leaders that the Demomust be overthrown because it bulldozes and cheats in elections, is all a Hinds, Charman; Robt C. Patty, of Noxublee; L. C. Balch, of Panola; C. P. Neilson, of the people capable of governing diligent efforts were made by a shrewd and able United States District Attorwith defeat. The effort to elect Dent ney to procure indictments against nu- enthusiasm wherever he goes. B. Harris, of Lowndes.
SECOND DISTRICT-A. J. Baker, of Lafay- and his associates on the ticket failed. merous citizens charged with these ofette; Spencer Bailey, of Tallahatchie.

The experiment with reference to fenses, but he utterly failed. Prosecuada; P. A. Fox. of Sumner.

Fourth District P. J. McCormick, of Ya- Greely in 1872 was a disappointment. tions founded upon information filed by Firm District—Robt. H. Thompson, of Linno immediate fruits. Circumstances ted, but there were no convictions. coln; Oliver Ciffion, of Hinds.

Sixru Distract - Murray F. Smith, of War-had enabled the alien adventurers who Some of the accused were readily acscented the prey and came in quest of quitted; and others preferred paying Judge Chandler selected Col. Sin WHEN REGISTRATION CLOSES. it to wield the votes of the ignorant moderate fines to undergoing the ex- gleton for a partner, and the latter his own family, he felt that with divine as-Section 124 of the Election Law re- the State so as to put and keep them in tention from their families. In no case boro, where the Judge concluded it arm could shield them and he could peacequires the Election Commissioners to power, which was shared by a few who were they prompted by a sense of guilt would be best to change partners,

political adventure. In 1875 occurred the Fusion leaders to find the real mocorrected, "shall be prima facic evidence which enabled the intelligence and They know the Democratic party is intration is final for the election of this hands; intelligence and decency took be condemned. People do not abandon If you vote the Lowry ticket you treasuries stopped, taxes lowered, bien-here and there, other members prove person of Hon. A. H. Longino, at Montiintroduced. Reforms were numerous not to be renounced if individuals should counter. and great. Men ceased to think of occasionally offend against the law. Col. Money has filled Senator emigrating; society were a new face. The Democratic party has placed itself selves without the mischievous influence for the Presidency gave utterance to of interlopers who had misled the latter, the slogan of "a full vote, a free ballot betook themselves to honest efforts to and a fair count," which was taken up The prospect is that the election will

niable that we have gotten along well, publican election managers urging them merits. Hon. J. B. Perkins, Senator from the and that all classes have enjoyed to wield the machinery of the election far more of prosperity and happiness law to keep the Republican party in since the control of the State has been power, and they know it.

The New Legislature.

the State. It is as true as it is unfortunate that it embraces quite as great a proportion of the property and intelli- UNDER the wise, economical, and just gence of the State. It is manifest that administration of the Democratic party by the adoption of a resolution offered privilege and a labor of love to enter upon the work of raising a fund for the reliance of the opposition party is on in Mississippi, capital is seeking the by Capt. Put Darden himself in the fall the Democratic nominee for the office the work of raising a fund for the relief of the votes of the colored people, and in the family of the late Gen. W. F. Tucker. the votes of the colored people, and in other property and the County Executive Committee the County Executive Committee the Seize of Violence of the colored people, and in other property and the County Executive Committee the Seize of Violence of the colored people, and in other property and the County Executive Committee County Executive Committee County Executive The State of Mississippi never had a truer, a more devoted, a worthier son. He was a diligently and systematically made to a more devoted, a worthier son. He was a diligently and systematically made to heard of a story which Col. Withers used the family of the late Gen. W. F. Tucker. The votes of the eddered people, and in the control of the property and the control of the property and the control of the natural pursuits. Immigration will large force. There are also many other in schools, with 1000 pupils and some of the dustries worthy of note, but are schools, with 1000 pupils and some of the dustries worthy of note, but are schools, with 1000 pupils and some of the dustries worthy of note, but are schools, with 1000 pupils and some of the dustries worthy of note, but are schools, with 1000 pupils and some of the dustries worthy of note, but are schools, with 1000 pupils and some of the dustries worthy of note, but are schools, with 1000 pupils and some of the dustries worthy of note, but are schools. a more devoted, a worthier son. He was a gallant and distinguished soldier, a pure gallant and distinguished soldier, a pure a high-toned soldier, a pure a high-toned soldier, a pure gallant and distinguished soldier, a pure gallant and gallant and distinguished soldier, a pure gallant and distinguished soldier, a pure gallant and distinguished soldier, a pure gal

pathy and generality of the people of Mississippi for worthy objects, and all have been promptly and liberally honored; but that the few will control the many. It cational condition and interests of the people of Mississippi for worthy objects, and all have been promptly and liberally honored; but that the few will control the many. It cational condition and interests of the people of Mississippi for worthy objects, and all have been promptly and liberally honored; but that the few will control the many. It potential. It must be in the nature of things. It is preposterous to assume that the few will control the many. It never has been so, and never can be. The muititude will prevail. Numbers The muititude will prevail. Numbers that the few with marked attention.

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A Brief Retrospect, With Suggestions who may not be altogether pleased with Pressino duties nearer home, have all that the party in power in this State compelled Mr. Barksdale with rejucthas done, pause and view the inevitable ance, to cancel his appointments at Bay

DEMOCRATIC quarrels nean Fusion

THE DAILY COMET is a brilliant,

under which some of our best citizens have been persecuted for opinion's I expect to occupy my seat at the meet-

In consequence of illness, Gen. Chalmers, much to the regret of his numerous friends and the Denocracy, North Mississippi appointments.

eral canvass and has gone home to de- now his friends in different parts of the second) Congressional District.

Monday next, therefore, it will not be of Republicanism and misrule and final- (which we do not) that individual backers from the error of their way, ianship. ly to drive their minions in disgrace members of the party have been justly He has shown them, that if they are The earnest sympathy expressed by your

Col. King, the Goliah of the Fusion-

reverberations throughout the land of a free vote and a fair count. The Na-largely upon reserves who, they boast, its roughests places. A lifeless marble just popular indignation, and driven tional Convention of 1880 declared that will be brought into action in this our rememberance of his family would be a Col. Hemingway, having recovered from the feasting so long enjoyed in "the right of a free ballot is a right election for the first time since they graceful tribute to his memory. from his recent illness, is again on the undisturbed quiet, hastened away. The preservative of all rights;" and Gen. met their Waterloo in 1875. Remem-with others of our fellw-citizens, looking to war-path. See his appointments in whites and colored people, left to themis eternal vigilance.

The Democrats and Conservatives of make industrial progress. Peace has and echoed by the Democracy of the be a peaceable settlement of the issues such a movement into effect, than your Col tribunal of the State. There is one re- be a labor of love with him, and would be

Senatorial District. Better wait for lative ticket as the associate of the the wagon. Capt. Perkins has had no sterling Magruder. There were some ticipating in thought of resigning. He is in his sent Democrats who were dissatisfied, and

FROM all quarters we have good news Gentlemen of the Democratic Executive Cam-

A Word for the Master of the State

the State Grange, in some Democratic gives forth uncertain sound. it was not Capt. Darden's province to WE have recently had opportunity of ago, I mustered into the Confederate service and the Cotton Mill gives employment to make partisans speeches; but to strike seeing the situation as it is in several of a detachment of thirty men for The Democratic party is the anti-down monopoly, correct abuses, reform the Northern and Middle counties, BATTERY A., FIRST MISSISSIPPI LIGHT Dicks & Co., is also one of the most extentiate that the last was the most promonopoly party. Its platform declares error and elevate the spirit and improve Tippah, Union, Benton, Grenada, that corporations are supervisable by the condition of the agricultural people Attala, and Holmes, and we can say They did faithful service under Sergeant It is perfectly clear that the Demo- legislative authority, within constitu- who are the bone and sinew, the blood with full confidence that the skies are legislative authority, within constitu- who are the bone and sinew, the blood with full confidence that the skies are legislative authority, within constitu- who are the bone and sinew, the blood with full confidence that the skies are legislative authority, within constitu- who are the bone and sinew, the blood with full confidence that the skies are legislative authority, within constitu- who are the bone and sinew, the blood with full confidence that the skies are legislative authority, within constitu- legislative authority, within constitution are supervisions. legislative authority, within consults with the seed, have cost the from all sources last year \$6,689, and company upwards of twenty thousand dol-pended \$6,805. An effort is being many and the seed, have cost the from all sources last year \$6,689, and others have died but most of lars. It would be worth a column of the seed, have cost the from all sources last year \$6,689, and others have died but most of lars. While his speeches may not have always with enthusiasm to the support of the chimed with the narangues of partisans. Lowry ticket and will give it a booming that detachment are still spaged, and are now among the substantial citizens of the county. Several of them were present at the seed and the oil are applied. Every the seed and the seed people. Anti-monopolists, don't you While his speeches may not have always with enthusiasm to the support of the that detachment are still spaced, and are

Letter from Hon. J. B. Perkins, Sena-

result of its overthrow. Let him seri- St. Louis, Pass Christian, Sate Line and informed that His Excellency, Governor vacancy in the 27th District, said to be caused by my removal from the State.

> This is news to me. I do not know under what influence, suggestion or information His Excellency has acted, but it seems to neither his ideas of executive action under the law, nor of courtesy to the Senate or jus-THE arrows that have been let fly at tice to myself, demanded that I should have

COL. SINGLETON passed through this which I presume the Governor recollects. It is true I have spent most of the past He would receive a hearty greeting. summer in Memphis, because I had tempoand also because I had formed a busines copartnership in Memphis for the purchase election, by two of our most talented in consummating the sale of six hundred and fifty thousand acres of levee lands, miles. We passed thereby adding that much to the taxable If you vote the Lowry ticket you property of Mississippi, and almost eliminating a large and onerous bonded debt of will vote against the infamous laws the levee district, His Excellency was pro- McRee's store is the headquarters of trade Pintards, Keys, Trulys, Camerons, McArns, Asylum in the afternoon, claiming me an alien and ordering this

> ing of the next Senate, and if His Excellency should have an extra Senator on hand. J. B. PERKINS, Senator 27th District Mississippi.

> > A Tucker Fund.

EDITORS CLARION: In your last issue appeared an extract from a most touching letter concerning the family of the lamen ed Gen. W. F. Tucker.

While he lived, his sympathetic heart alwas compelled to abandon several of his ways responded to the distressed and suffering, and his purse was always open to the needy. If the thought sometimes occurred to him that in giving to others he took from electors who composed a majority in pense of long and tedious trials and de- waltzed him until they reached Waynes- sistance, so long as life lasted, his strong fully close his eyes in death, leaving them to the care of Him who is "a father to the COL. MANNING has finished his gen-fatherless and a judge of the widows." And vote the balance of his time to his (the State can become the instruments of Him and bring such an abiding faith to a realization. Let his good deeds and noble, chival- and mileage accounts on his books, but, of the names and number of the qual- wealth and virtue of the State, by an nocent of the charges they are making Gen. Chalmers' speeches have done rous character live after him and build for ified electors of the county." After united effort, to overthrow the cohorts for political effect; but even admitting a great deal of good in reclaiming Green- his family a substantial monument of guard-

competent for the Circuit Clerk to regfrom the places they had abused. Then accused of violations of the election sincere in their professions in regard to meet with a hearty response from the many Mr. Lehman has been there for many years, from Natchez, who patronize the fair quite difficulties in the way of such and admirers of Gen. Tucker, and expression and does quite an extensive "supply" busi- liberally. should be made in an organized form.

salaries were reduced, leaks in the of which they are members, because ists, encountered a young David in the grieve at the nation's calamity, and cordially endorse the Garfield fund; the assassins and well-built churches at Union-the on Tuesday, leaving Fayette at 5 P. M., and blow has been struck nearer home, and Presbyterian, of which Mr. Grafton is pas- reaching Natchez at 7 o'clock, after several Through the courtesy of J. S. will vote for a wise and efficient admin- mal sessions of the Legislature were false to their vows; and so a party is cello, and was badly worsted in the end drawn the life blood of one just as true and tor, and the Methodist, of which Rev. R. H. stoppages to take on cotton. A new and ery, Esq., the very efficient Super

THE Democrats and Conservatives State government, Gen. Tucker was one of must not rely too confidently upon past its chief architects. His chisel was ever year. The church manse is close by, and like the broad guage cars, only a trifle nar-

always busy, but I feel assured this would

Well Done

was once a Republican, but, like many others, he renounced the Republican WE see that they are discussing the party, and in a spirit of conciliation, uestion of the successorship in the 27th the Democrats put him on their Legis upon Mr. Stiles came forward like a man and cut the knot as follows:

A vote was taken by the Committee, and it was decided by fifteen to

A Week in Jefferson and Adams.

DEAR CLARION: On the night of 18th sum it all up in a glorious victory next site Natchez, to a point cour correspondent left Jackson, resolved on month. There was one other officer, Lt. then a word the Iron M a ten-days recreation. Arriving at Brook- Bob Lancaster, who quietly and modestly, Vicksburg; and then an haven at one o'clock, I was assigned to the but thoroughly and gallantly discharged Natchez, Jackson and Co "sample room" of Stern's Hotel. The sleepy every duty. porter forgot to be at the train, and he had But I must drop these reminiscences, and porter lorgot to be at the train, and he had be built, and that before yet ing could be secured. The genial proprie- people, and drive to r was down with the break-bone fever, which is quite prevalent in Brookhaven just It is the opening of Fair Week, or rather and Columbus Railroad is now

I learned next morning, that

THE SILVER-TONGUED HOOKER If you vote the Lowry ticket, you I have never formed or expressed any delighted audience. After speaking at other on the train from Natchez. A new and on the train from Natchez. will vote for just laws and economical intention of removing my citizenship or places, he is addressing the people of Jefferrepresent in the Senate. I pay my poll-tax to Natchez was looked forward to with much since my last visit. New cottages built and represent Tunica county as a delegate in the heard the wish very generally expressed grounds, are about a mile and a half from and liberality toward the Democratic State Convention last August, that General Lowry will also visit Adams town, a high-board circular fence enclosing the Asylums depend for and Jefferson counties before the election, the buildings and half-mile race track, mainly upon the contril

After calling at the Ledger office, learning that Capt. Henry had gone to the tation for Union Church, kindly furnished years. Here we met scores of friends, who pass out from under the care of the coast for rest and health, I took transpor-Mississippi lands, and while, by my old time friend and comrade, Mel. were pleased to see THE CLARION repre-McCallum. The distance is twenty-five sented on such an occasion. Here were the CASEYVILLE.

fifteen miles from Brookhaven, where and intelligence for a large section of coun- McPhersons, Hicks, Butlers, Campbells, try. The McRees have always been zealous friends of THE CLARION, and hence the other well-known Jefferson county names, the generous contributions in paper has enjoyed a good circulation in that including many of their ladies, who were Sunday schools and other so Col. Hooker, the silver-tongued suppose the Senate will determine between vicinity. Bensalem Presbyterian church is out in their brightest and best, and without the past summer. We found the on the road ride near Caseyville, and here, whose presence any fair would be but a for the next day. They were sen on alternate Sabbaths, the Rev. C. W. Grafton preaches to large and appreciative con-

UNION CHURCH,

which we reached early in the afternoon, has changed but little since I spent the summer of 1858 in its vicinity. Many old friends of that time have passed away, but at a stand-still, so far as buildings and trade Beauty. After dinner, there was a half at a stand-still, so far as buildings and trade are concerned. I found my old friend, Dr. delay in getting the five horses started, Asylum. On the day of my J. J. McLean, (of the 12th Mississippi reg- "Rainey Day" came in ahead. I had the ware coreived from Franklin iment) in charge of the post office and of a honor of being invited to act as one of the the managers were expecting two me small store attached, and having the big judges, but having no experience in that DeSoto county, for whose address, but having no experience in that Typhoid and "dangue" fevers just now prevailing, keep him busy. The life of the country doctor must be one of great labor, and, when crops are short, of but little remuthe highest degree. It should be suppressed, visit it, as it has been my privilege neration. He may have many prescription if possible. like preacher's salaries and newspaper bills, they are usually classed as deferred pay-

ness, and purchases all the cotton he can get. We took our first ride on the While, with every true, good citizen, we paying, at the gins, within a fraction of New NATCHEZ, JACKSON AND COLUMBUS RAIL, supported mainly by taxat Caldwell is pastor. At the first, there is very beautiful passenger car had that day In the structure of our existing excellent preaching twice a month, and a flourishing been put into service. It seats fifty persons Sabbath School, every Sunday, during the very comfortably, the seats being arranged its occupant would seem to be comfortably rower. Two such men as Cols. Frantz and established for a long pastorate. Mr. Graf. Shannon would find it tight squeezing. In accomplished ladies, who do their work ton is a graduate of our State University, the polite conductor we were pleased to find but are not very well paid. As a preacher, he is noted for zeal, earnest- Capt. Allen T. Bowie, who for a time served cupy the rooms in the lower story. ness, and deep piety, and for his forcible, on Gen. Wirt Adams' staff. and often eloquent presentation of the truth. The patience, perseverance, and pluck of His accomplished wife was a Miss Doak, of Gen. Martin will, ere many months, be re-Sardis, sister of the wife of Dr. Little, warded, in the completion of the road to short space of former State Geologist, and again of the Jackson. There is about fifty-five miles of central school on College Green University Faculty. She is a fine singer, is track actually operated, and all the neces- offi-"at home" on the organ, and she has the sary cross-ties and rails purchased and paid school like the Natchez Institut capacity to lead and the disposition to fol. for to extend the road to the State Capital. The colored school has a white low in all projects for the good of the church. The contractor on a part of the line has

Concord Masonic Lodge, No. 181, and been delayed in his work by the difficulty in Institute. The Union Sche a "High School," duly chartered and in getting labor, but from this time henceforth large, handsome and costly brick but successful operation, are among the institu- the work will be pushed forward with great co tions worthy of note. The Knights of energy. Gen. Martin has promised that the Hon. E. H. Stiles, of Claiborne, Honor and the Knights of Pythias have road shall be completed in time for the next the whites. not found their way there yet. The Odd Press Convention. There is not a smoother The many Masonic and other Fellows and the Grangers flourished there running road in the State, if the track befor a time, but farmers, like many town- tween Fayette and Natchez is a sample of people, allow benevolent associations to die all. On Saturday, I had the pleasure of par- appears to have entered upon a new era of

Church and Bensalem schools. The atten- The three latter characteristics are as con- hoping that one of the neulists there can dance was quite large, and the exercises at spicuous as ever; but now great factories of is a very poor man, and his misfortuse, the church, which were continued for two amazing proportions, and employing hun- this hint, will, I am sure, touch the hours, were interesting. The singing was dreds of hands, are in actual operation, and and the purses of his brethren splendid, and the selections all appropriate. many others are projected. The Natchez I missed one voice especially, that I loved Cotton Mills was chartered in 1877, and was able length. To Messrs, Lambert and ton, of the Democrat, Col. De Lup, Jun heaven. Mr. Grafton gave a lucid exposi- and operates 304 looms and 10,304 spindles. tion of the "Manna" lesson, availing him- It consumes apwards of 4000 bales of cotton self of one of the colored charts used in annually, and its fabrics-domestics, sheetobject-teaching. Then came an address on ings, shirtings, drills and osnaberg -- find a FOR THE CLARION.] the Sunday School work generally, and then demand beyond the ability of the Mill to one that Mr. Stiles should remain on followed a bountiful dinner, spread on supply. The Mill will ere long be enlarged, We have regretted to hear complaints the ticket. He is there to stay and to the long table, under the trees. There was or another, of like propositions, erected. against Capt. Put. Darden, Master of win, so says the Reveille, which never an abundance for all, and many baskets of The Bosalie Yarn Mill is an elegant fragments to spare.

On these grounds, nearly twenty years 2500 bales, of cotton per annum, and this impartiality. The delegation was for

THE declension of Mr. Gilleland, we chatted of Lynch's creek, (our first enofficers elected and appointed except the Railway and Elevator Company has already 1 in Italy. Towards their support the Orderly Sergeant, the Colonel approached a force at work; a Compress, a first-class nomination gave last year about \$3.00. The particulars of the killing of Is you have changed your voting me and said: "You know all these men better than I do. We have appointed all better than I do. We have appointed all least conventional year, 35 mis and there is not a house in the city to let?" is the roughout the State, and in order that such a roughout property separating the state of the region of the State of t in another column. Mr. Lanier, his Circuit Clerk and have the change the Sergeants and Corporals, and now we and there is not a house in the city "to let,"

ing hot shot into the range of the Fusion a road to Houston army. His "facts and figures" have fur- Eastern syndicate will nished ammunition for many an effective there is to be the Natcher and charge on the enemy's lines, and he can Railroad; then a road fro

PAYETTE, THE COUNTY SEAT.

The morning was occupied by a

the day appropriated by the Stock Breeders' glorious fact. Natchez has been noted for her Association. The people, from every direction, were pouring into the town, and at least one hundred and fifty persons arrived Her three Asylums afford a handsome court-house and jail, just comple- D'Evereux Hall, for boys, and ted, are among the notable improvements Asylum, for girls, are under old ones repaired, are some of the visible gers, representing the various results of "the narrow guage." The fair denominations, and, the He Nearly a thousand people were passed table. The boys of D'Even and through the gate, at fifty cents each, which vate a large vegetable garden would have been considered a first-class per annum. Certain hours a opening for one of our State Fairs of recent labor and to study, so that when upon life's duties. Many of come honored and useful in

and conclusions in Institute

twelve years ago, but the Nate

Torrys, the Whitneys, Harpers, Harrisons, private station. The children of the Protect Briscoes, Dardens, Wades, McCormicks, attend the Natchez Institute, which McGintys, the Shackiefords, Thompsons, public school of the city. Inc Montgomerys, Foremans, Davenports, two of the lady managers and newly painted and other McClures, Stewards, Fairleys, and scores of poor affair indeed. Here, too, we had the comfortably, but very plainly pleasure of meeting Mr. Culley, of the all seemed happy. Mrs. White Chronicle, always courteous and clever. in which a dozen young gentlemen contend-

ed for the cash prize, and for the higher heads for many years. They were a honor of crowning the Queen of Love and line, declined. Trials of speed may be cation had been made through He necessary to test the rauning capacity of Dockery.

horses, but the pool-selling and the betting charitable people generally, who have incident to horse-racing is demoralizing in tributed to the support of this Asylum, times, they could not fail to to greater interest in its support. The State could not make a better

ment than to distribute annually opened on Wednesday, and closing to-day, s doubtless the most successful that has yet thousand dollars, thus suppl There are two other stores at Union, kept been held by the Association. The railroad charity, and enlarging the schedule was changed to suit excursionists institutions. If there are to remove them. In New York, New and other large cities, orphan asylu-

guished alone for its cotton wagons and cot- it is feared, forever. It is possible ton bales, and for the opnience, hospitality, may be removed. at Union Church, gotten up by the Union intelligence and refinement of its people, on his way to the steamer for New Orl

Mississippi Baptist Convention-

operates 6048 spindles. It consumes about Hardy presided with marked ability so

The Lee Oil Works, owned by Carpenter, The report on Mississippi College of sive establishments of the city. Two immense warehouses are now being packed with cotton seed. The gunny sacks used vested an endowment fund \$9,108, received